

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being filed via EFS-Web with the United States Patent and Trademark Office, on February 28, 2008.

PATENT  
Attorney Docket No.: 021629-002500US

TOWNSEND and TOWNSEND and CREW LLP

By: JoAnn Evangelista  
JoAnn Evangelista

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:

BERNARD ANDREAS et al.

Application No.: 10/814,593

Filed: March 30, 2004

For: STENT DELIVERY FOR  
BIFURCATED VESSELS

Customer No.: 47917

Confirmation No. 5895

Examiner: ELIZABETH HOUSTON

Technology Center/Art Unit: 3731

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed February 7, 2008, please enter the following amendments and remarks:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 6 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 11 of this paper.